

Appln No. 10/043,763

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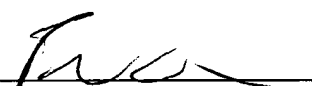
REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-6 are currently pending in this application. Claims 23-29 have been added and claims 7-22 have been cancelled without prejudice in response to a restriction requirement. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the application.

Applicant's October 6, 2003 amendment in response to the Office action dated July 30, 2003 was objected to for failing to include a complete listing of the claims. Applicant has included herewith a complete listing of the claims which includes amendments to claims 1-6 which were originally submitted in the October 6, 2003 amendment, cancelled claims 7-22 and renumbered claims 23-29 which were incorrectly submitted as claims 7-13 in Applicant's earlier October 6, 2003 amendment.

Applicant therefore respectfully submits that the present amendment includes a complete claim list and respectfully requests the objection be withdrawn. Applicant further submits that pending claims 1-6 and 23-29 are in condition for allowance, and an early notice of allowance is respectfully requested. an early notice of allowance.

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